TO-DAY'S NEWS IN BRIEF.

BUSINESS. Vesterday's bank clearituts were \$9.662.

286; balances, \$1,009,230. Local discount rates were between Φ_2 and 6 per cent. Domestic exchange was quoted as fol-lows; New York, 20c discount bid, 10c discount asked; Chicago, 25c discount bid. låc discount asked; Chadanati, Louisville and New Orleans, 16c discount bld, par

Wheat closed higher at \$1.00% asked Sept.; \$1.6761.69 No. 2 red. Corn closed higher at 54c Sept.; 550 Sec. No. 2 mixed. Outs closed at 34c asked Sept.; 304630 Sept. No. 2 mixed.

Spot cotton was unchanged in the local

WAR IN THE FAR EAST. The garrison at Port Arthur refuses to surrender and is disincilized to permit the departure of noncombationts

The Japanese are pressing the siege of

Port Arthur with great vigor; and, ne-cording to Chinese reports, the city is in a deplorable condition. The cruisers Rossia and Gromobol are

reported at Vladivostok. Japan threatens to seize the Russian werships at Shanghai, claiming that their presence, while conducting extensive repairs, is a violation of Chinese neutrality.

LOCAL AND SUBURBAN, Davis H. Naylor, former member of Missouri Legislature, died in Washington. The Society of American Florists nominated officers and selected Warhington, D. C., as the next convention place, at

yesterday's session. S. P. Hill, a laborer, was knocked twenty-five feet after being struck by a constitutionalism as opposed to imperial-Komzak concerts begin next Toesday at

A hose was used to stop an automobile from going over forbidden ground at the dillons of the party which he has left. His grandfather was one of the members World's Fair

Sankey family are holding their reunion. It is the first time in forty years that all the members of the family have been in the same city at the same time Governor Terrel of Georgia was shocked

tive role to arrest alleged gambler. Police Sergeant John Berry was acquit-

ted of the charge of neglect of duty at the Democratic primaries. The jury disagreed in the case against Patrolman Sul-

Nothing but airs from light opera will be played by the Exposition bands to-day Clinton A. Welch denounces the Wal

The revalidation of World's Fair passes Chinese at a Pike concession will be reg

istered. They must leave America as soon as the Fair is over, The National Commission yesterday approved 200 names submitted to it as pro-

spective members of the Jury of Awards Wholesale merchants are greatly pleased with the Fair as a medium for

GENERAL DOMESTIC.

Four persons are killed and twenty-four Injured, one fatally, in a collision between a trolley car and a train at Chicago. Clarence De Ryder, a bleyclist, is killed trying to loop the loop at Sait Lake.

December wheat advances 5 cents to \$1.10 on the Chicago exchange. Fear of a famine in the Northwest is the exciting

Senator Henry G. Davis accepts the Democratic vice-presidential nomination at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va. Philip Weingimer, head of the building trades strike in New York, is arrested on the charge of extortion.

Doctor A. W. McAlister, president of the State Board of Health, is investigating the peculiar malady prevalent at Wein, a German settlement in Charlton County,

N. J. Pennington of Chillicothe, Mo., 86 years old, is robbed of \$2.0 by man who presented to have a house to sell him.

Republican circles, president of the New York State League of Republican Clubs presended to have a house to sell him.
The Fourth District Congressional Conwill reassemble to-day at St. Jo-

seph. There is no prospect of the dead-lock in which Cochran, Booher and Wil-Ninth District, to-day announced his son are the main factors, being broken.

Judge Parker will probably come to St. Louis either during the first part of Octo bert or on New York Day at the World's

Gavernor Dockery issues a proclamation setting forth that Labor Day should be observed as a holiday. Mr. and Mrs. William Buford of Lan-

caster. Mo., celebrate the sixtleth anniversary of their marriage.

Hiots and disorders mark the day in the

Chicago stock yards.

SPORTING.

Bas d'Or scores a speedy victory at Fair Grounds over Jack Young. Other winners were Hersain, Triple Bilver, A. Muscodey, Ed Ball and Bilssful. Commodore looks best in to-day's feat ure race at the Fair Grounds.

was defeat the New York Americans

in Inal game of the series by a score of 3 to 1.

Middle weights meet at the West End Club this evening in a fifteen-round bout. Cardinals defeat Philadelphia by last inning batting rally, by a score of 9 to 7. Chicago athletes win pentathlon and basket-ball championships at Stadium.

Marine Intelligence.

Geo ers; Meag iffrat Odd busin Am pany chare rick Cham Augu unanu capitu

BO II

New York, Aug. 17 .- Arrived: Barbarossa, from Bremen; Hekla, from Copenhagen; Oceanic, from Liverpool; Lombar-dia, from Genoa and Naples. Sailed: Nord Amerika, Naples and Genoa; Majestic, Liverpool; U. S., Christansand and

Copenhagen, Aug. 14.-Arrived: Hellig Olav, New York, via Christiansand. Antwerp, Aug. 16 .- Arrived: Switzerland.

Liverpool, Aug. 16.—Arrived: Michigan, Boston; Westernland, Philadelphia, via Queenstown. Naples, Aug. 16.—Sailed: Prinz Oskar, New York.

bile, which was occupied by a man and a woman, was the property of President New York.

Queenstown, Aug. 17—Sailed: Ivernia (from Liverpool), Boston.

Dover, Aug. 17.—Arrived: Pennsylvania, from New York.

Francis.

B. J. Kent was watering the plaza in front of the New York building when the driver of the automobile made an attempt to pilot his machine over the hose.

"You can't pass over this hose," said **WOMEN ARE ATTACKED** BY CHICAGO STRIKERS.

Chicago, Aug. 17.-Mrs. Mamie Donnigan

and Mrs. Mary Kelly were attacked and

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

"You can't pass over this hose," said Kent.
"This is President Francis's automobile, and here's my permit to go anywhere on the ground," was the reply of the autoist, as he pulled a pilce of paper out of his needed. A Series of Disorders Marks the Day In the Stock-Yards District, Keeping Police Busy.

Btill sprinkling and with the hose in one hand, Kent walked up to the machine, and with the other member reached out for the alleged permit. It proved to be nothing but one of the official maps of the grounds

nothing but one of the grounds.

This attempt at deception upon the part of the man in the automobile made the man with the bose all the more angry. He leveled the stream at the machine and its occupants and the automobile was turned around in quick order. and Mrs. Mary Keilv were attacked and beaten by a mob as they were leaving the barns of Nelson Morris & Co. to-day. They had gone there to report the illness of a strike-breaker.

The police rescued the two women, scattered the crowd with their clubs, and arrested Charles Albertschulk, who, last Monday, was fined \$10 for a similar offense.

South Bend, Ind., Sleeper

Via Vandalia Line leaves 8:94 p. m. daily.

UNIDENTIFIED MAN KILLED Monday, was fined \$10 for a similar offense.

By a desperate battle with a crowd, the police rescued two women and seven men, who had served as strike-breakers, in a riotsthat culminated in an attack on the house at No. 655 Justin street, the wrecking of the windows and the smashing down of the rear door.

The house of Frank Schimick. No. 5120 Wood street, was attacked by another crowd, and windows shattered and the dosrs battered.

A desperate riot broke out at Fortynisth street and Ashiand avenue shortly after noon, when Charles Schears and Alexander Detsle were dragged from a street car and badly besten.

Inspector Hunt and Captain Cancer led the bedies of the reson and a hard fixin with the crowd resulted. The injured men were found in an alley. Among the other outlinesses of violence was an attack on General Council Arthur E. Evens of Swiff & Co., as he was riding on a Center avenue.

Thought to Be the Son of a St. Louis Woman,

A telegram from Indianapolis last night stated that the mutilated body of a man had been found on the railroad tracks forty miles from that city.

From n letter found in his pocket it is thought that his mame was Harry Uppenhouse, and that his mother lives in St. Louis. A letter from her was found, in which she said that she was giad that he had found work and was doing well.

Evidence that he had been riding on the rods under the care was found in a broken beard which was lying near him.

The name does not appear in the directory.

raGad Rapids Sleeper ia Vandalia Line, 8:04 p. m

GRINNELL WILL TO ARGUE BRIDGE VOTE FOR PARKER MERGER SEPT. 28

tration Deserts Repub-

lican Party.

Constitution, Acted Ridicu-

lously in Panama Canal

Matter, Usurped Rights.

New York, Aug. 17.-Denouncing the

imperialistic pelicy of the President, William Morton Grinnell, a prominent Repub-

lican, an appointee of Benjamin Harrison

declared that he would vote for Judge Parker. His announcement is another sign

of the drift of Republican thought toward

Mr. Grinnell comes of a family which

or three generations has upheld the tra-

of the electoral college who voted for the first Harrison. Mr. Grinnell served un-

der Benjamin Harrison as Third Assistant

Secretary of State. He is a practicing

lawyer in this city and a director of the

Illinois Central Raffroad and of several

illinois Central Raifroad and of several other corporations.
"My decision," said Mr. Grinnell this evening, "has been reached after much thought on this subject. The President may be all very well in his place, but I think that he would do better as a Viking in the Ninth Century than as the ruler of this country. His acts have gone beyond the bounds of law, and in many cases he has fomented class and race hatred by his policies.

policies.

"Perhaps there is no objection to a President being a little autocratic, but he has overridden the Constitution and disregarded the law. His making of appointments during a constructive recess, that is, in reality no recess, is a case in point. His eigning of the rule which made every veteran of the Civil, War an invalid per se' and entitled to a pension is another example.

ample.

"The motive of it was to gain votes, but it amounted to nothing less than an absolute decree. These men became invalids and entitled to a pension because he so commanded.

commanded.
"His conduct with regard to the Pan-ama Canal is ridiculous. It is more absurd than illegal, for it amounted to an enun-ciation of doctrine of eminent domain ap-plied to a foreign state."

OUT FOR PARKER

Prominent New York Republican

Deserts Roosevelt's Standard

-Gives Reason for Action.

New York, Aug. 17.—Influential Repub-licans of lifelong standing continue to de-

sert from the Roosevelt standard. Fol-

lowing the example of General E. A. Mc-

Alpin, former treasurer of the Republican party, and that of W. G. Choate, a brother

of Joseph H. Cheate, Ambassador to Eng-

in 1900 and 1902, president of the Repub-lican College League in 1894 and 1895 and

for his disregard of constitutional limits

"As to Mr. Parker," Mr. Cox goes on to

any line who, while claiming no virtues above those of the majority of his fellow-

gold telegram shows strength of character

of a high order, and his speech of accent-

ance reveals a safe and sane man, wh

appreciates the responsibility of his posi-

appreciates the responsibility of his posi-tion and who, if elected, will give the country an administration whose purpose will be a continuance of the steady growth that has gradually and surely, and not by any firecracker war in Cuba, brought this country to its present position, and not simply to tease the great Colosus into roaring so that the wondering world may hear a 'Roosevelt' or a 'Parker' in the rumbles."

Chauffeur Made Claim He Could

Not Prove and Gardener

Was Obdurate.

An employe in the Landscape Depart

ment of the Louisiana Purchase Exposi-

tion yesterday made an effective weapor

from piloting an automobile where rules

The claim was made that the automo-

STOP AUTOIST

HOSE USED TO

land, Theodore Cox, always prominent in

THEODORE COX

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

and a nephew of Levi P. Morton, to-day

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Member of Harrison's Adminis Secretary Taft Makes Order on Democratic Vice Presidential His Return From

Says President Has Overridden Government Would Have White Elephant on Hands Should Structure Be Seized, and Wants Advice.

> The Republic Burrart.
>
> 18th St. and Pennsylvania Ave.
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> Washington, Aug. 17.—A hearing on the alleged consolidation of the Merchants' and Eads' bridges will be held at the Wa Department in this city September 28. That is the status of the case as fixed today by Secretary Taft. Immediately upon arriving at the department the morning Secretary Taft called for the pa-pers in the case. They are neither nu-merous nor lengthy. He later dictated an order addressed to the Merchants' Brides Company and all others interested in the

> enuse to the above effect.
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> From the celerity with which the Sec retary took up the case it may be con-cluded that he combined business with pleasure while in St. Louis, and took advantage of the opportunity to look into the case at close range.

The original order of Secretary Root gave The original order of Secretary Root gave the Merchants' Bridge Company until September 4, 1963, to show cause why the bridge should not be taken charge of by the War Department. This time was later extended to include December 1, and subsequently the extension was made indemnite, pending the decision of the Supreme Court of Missouri in the State case, which was said to contain the same point of law.

The order dictated to-day states, among other things, that the point in this care is in no way similar to that in the State case.

other things, that the point in this case is in no way similar to that in the State case.

Perhaps the most apparent reason for setting the date so late in the full is that Secretary Tail is to leave Washington August 25, to make a few campaign speeches, and later to rejoin his family at Murray Bay, Canada, not returning to the city until the middle of September. Again, the interested persons are not presumed to be prepared to argue their cases on short nettee, and it is only fair that they be given a reasonable time. Another reason may be that which was advanced when the matter was first called to the attention of the War Department last year, namely, that even if the department should take charge of the bridge, it would prove a vertable white elephant, there being no precedent on which to base the conduct of its aritairs.

By the time the hearing will have been faished and a decision arrived at the next session of Compress will not be a great

By the time the hearing will have been finished and a decision arrived at, the next session of Congress will not be a great distance off, and in this connection it will be remembered that Congress must pass a special act directing the Secretary of War what disposition to make of the bridge. Therefore, it is not improbable that a cogent reason for setting a late date is to relieve the War Department from possible embarrassment if Secretary Taft shall decide that the act authorizing the construction of the bridge has been violated.

The order, which briefly recites the his-

violated.

The order, which briefly recites the history of the case, was not signed to-day, it not having been ready for the signature of the Secretary when the time had arrived for him to depart for the golf links to keep an engagement. It will be signed the first thing in the morning and then will be forwarded at once to St. Louis.

SANKEY FAMILY HOLDS REUNION

change of political faith in an open letter, in which he condemns President Roosevelt For First Time in Forty Years All the Members Are in One City.

explain in his letter, "all I can say is that his career shows that he is not a poser in The reunion of the Sankey family, which is now being held in St. Louis, probably will not be duplicated during the World's citizens, has filled his place with unas-suming honor and credit. Moreover, his Fair period. Six brothers and three sisters are here and the youngest are more than 52 years old. They are the children of Major Ezekiel

They are the children of Major Ezekiel and Sarah Sankey of Newcastie, Pa., and the children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, grandchildren on number more than fifty. They have come from both the far East and the far West to sea the Fair and attend the reunion.

Those present are Charles G. Sankey, wife and daughter, of Newcastle, Pa., Eben B. Sankey and wife of Seattle, Wash., William MacDonald and wife of Greene, In., Mrs. Rebecca E. Falls and Miss Sallie Falls of Newcastle, Pa., Henry C. Sankey of St. Louis, James P. Sankey and wife of Pittsburg, Pa., William J. Sankey of St. Louis, Mrs. H. H. Pinto of St. Louis and Lawrence I. Sankey of Salem, Mo. The youngest, Mrs. Pinto and Lawrence L. Sankey, are twins.

This is the first time that all the living members of this family have been together for more than forty years. Ira. D. Sankey, the evangelist, is a cousin of the Sankey, who are here. Several of the members of this family have attained distinction, and all have been connected with the railroad business. Eben B. Sankey formerly lived in Missouri and was on the Republican ticket for presidential elector several times. The leiatives have gathered at the home of Henry C. Sankey, No. 4054 Russell avenue.

Three through trains to all points East via Eric R. R. Tickets, 102 N. Fourth st.

DEADLOCK MAY CONTINUE.

No Hope to Choose Congressional Candidate at St. Joseph.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 17.-There is not the slightest reason for believing that the deadlock in the Fourth District Congressional Convention will be broken when the Democrats gather here again to-mor-row, and resume the arduous duty of call-ing the roll.

row, and resume the aradous duty of calling the roll.

Judge A. D. Burnes, Campbell Wells and Henry L. Dillingham of Platte City arrived early to-day, and began taking notes on the situation in behalf of Francis Wilson of Platte County. I. R. Williams of Savannah, Booher's law partner, came to-night, and Congressman Cochran has several active lieutenants at work. The only way out of the situation at present is for one of the three candidates to withdraw. None of them is willing to dothir, for each considers his chances for winning toe good.

Doctor M. W. Wooten Wanted at once at Dossville, Miss. His father is very low. Report to Ebb. Blocker, at S. S. C. M., 6650 Kingsbury boulevard.

Woman Frustrates Burglars

Mrs. Lizzie Null of No. 1220 Spruce street discovered burglars at work in the rear of the store of J. J. Morris, under the flat she occupies, and, securing a revolver, she fired several shots at the men. The burglars, thoroughly frightened, fled down Spruce street. Nothing was stolen.

DAVIS ACCEPTS THE NOMINATION

Candidate Attacks Republicans for Extravagance.

DOESN'T LIKE ROOSEVELT. REASONS FOR LATE DATE. SAYS CHANGE IS DEMANDED.

Declares Administration Is Run

the notification speech. He pleased his hearers immensely by his attacks upon the Republican party and by laying down in rony rules of conduct to govern Senator Davis's official career. Senator Davis occupied about twenty

was warmly applauded when he declared that victory would surely come to the Democrats this fall; and the mention of Judge Parker's name brought forth cheers. In part, he said:

DAVIS SPEAKS. "Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Committee: The official notification which you bring of my nomination for the vice presidency of the United States, by the National Democracy, gives me a feeling of the sincerest gratitude to my party for the homor conferred. At the same time, it brings to me a deep sense of my responsibility to my party as a candidate and to my country in case of my election. "A spirit of determination to succeed in the campaign before us appears to pervade the rank and file of our party in all sections of the country. Of that rank and file I have for many years been a member and have for many years been a member and have for the country's good. Unexpectedly called as I am now, to the forefront, I am impelled to an acceptance of the obligation by a sense of gratitude to my fellow-workers and the hose that I may be able the better to assist in restoring to hower that party whose principles and past history guartantee a safe, wise, economical and constitutional administration of the Government.

"I find it, therefore, a great pleasure, standing here upon the borderland of the two Virginias, to receive and accept the commission you bear, and to send greetings through you to the Democracy of the Sandard tracks, sustaining a tremeou and huried twenty-five feet to the Easton avenue car the day afterneou and huried twenty-five feet to the railroad tracks, sustaining a severe concursion of the brain and buried twenty-five feet to the railroad tracks, sustaining a severe concursion of the brain and huried twenty-five feet to the railroad tracks, sustaining a severe concursion of the brain and huried twenty-five feet to the railroad tracks, sustaining a severe concursion of the brain and huried twenty-five feet to the railroad tracks, sustaining a severe concursion of the brain and huried twenty-five feet to the railroad tracks, sustaining a severe concursion of the brain and huried twenty-five feet to the railroad tracks, sustaining a severe concursion of the brain and huried twenty-five feet to the railroad tracks, sustaining a severe concursion of the brain and huried twentyyou bring of my nomination for the vice presidency of the United States, by the

constitutional administration of the Government.

"I find it, therefore, a great pleasure, standing here upon the borderland of the two Virginias, to receive and accept the commission you bear, and to send greetings through you to the Democracy of the entire country. Is it not significant of a closer and truer brotherhood among us, that for the first time since the Civil War a nominee on the national ticket has been taken from that section of our common country that lies south of Mason and Dixon's Line-a happy recognition of the obliteration of all sectional differences which led to and followed that unhappy struggle?

MONEY QUESTION.

MONEY QUESTION. "As introductory to the few remarks I shall make, I desire to say that I heartly indorse the platform upon which I have

indorse the platform men which I have been nominated, and, with the convention and its nomitiee for President, regard the present monetary standard of value as intercocably established.

"In the campaign preceding the last election much stress was laid by Republicat speakers upon the prosperous condition of the country, and forebodings were heard of the ill results, especially to the laboring man, which would follow any change in the political complexion of the Government.

laboring man, which would follow any change in the political complexion of the Government.

"It is true that the times then were good, but it is no less a fact that, while there has been no change in the party in power, many of the evils prophesied have sago factories, mills, mines and furnaces were in active operation, unable to supply the demand; but row many are closed and those that are open are being operated with reduced force on short hours. Then wages were high, labor was scarce and there was work for all. Now work is scarce, many wage-carners unemployed and wages reduced. The apprehension, which now prevails in business circles and the prevent unsatifactory industrial conditions of the country seem to demand a political change.

"In the language of our platform, the rights of labor are certainly no less scale and no less mallenable than the vights of capital." The time is opportune to emphasize the truth of this uttrance. The most sacred right of property is the right to possess and own lone's self and the labor of one's own hands—capital itself being but stored uplabor. For years I worked in the ranks as a wage earner, and I know what it is to earn my living in the sweat of my brow. I have always believed, and my convictions came from the hard school of experience, that, measured by the character of work he does and the cost of Democratle principles, for in them the humblest has the strongest security for individual right and the hisheat stimulus to that independence of spirit and love of self-help which produce the finest characters and form the basis of the best possible government.

REPUBLICAN EXTRAVAGANCE,

"The receipts of the Government for the

REPUBLICAN EXTRAVAGANCE. "The receipts of the Government for the "The receipts of the Government for the year endirg June 20, 1902, the first fiscal year of the present administration, showed a surplus over expenditures of \$91,000,000, but for the fiscal year ending June 20, 1904, instead of a surplus there was a deficit of \$41,000,000. From the 1st of July, 1904, to August 10, or for about a monu and a third of the present fiscal year the expenditures of the Government have exceeded the receipts by \$21,715,000. There could be no stronger evidence of the extravagance into which the Republican party has fallen, and no more potent argument in behalf of a change to the party whose tenets have always embraced prudence and economy in administering the people's affairs.

"Our Republican friends are prone to refer to the great commercial growth of the country under their rule, and yet the census reports show that from 153 to 1850, under Democratic rule, and the Walker tariff, the percentage of increase was greater in population, wealth, manufactures and railroad mileage, the factors which affect most largely the prosperity of the country, than in any decade since. "The cost of the Government has largely increased under Republican rule. The expenditures per capita for the last years respectively of the administration given, taken from the reporty of the Secretary of the Treasury, were as follows:

In 1891 under Buchanan.

In 180) under Huchanan In 1903, under Harrison In 180; under Cleveland In 180; under McKinley In 180; under McKinley "The Republicans now claim great con-sistency in their attitude upon the cur-rency question, and the President, in his recent speech of acceptance, said that rency question, and the President, in his recent speech of acceptance, said that they know what they mean when they speak of a stable currency. 'the same thing from year to year,' and yet in the platforms of their party in 1881, 1888 and 1892, they favored the double standard of value. In the platform of 1888 they said. The Republican party is in favor of the use of both gold and silver as money, and condemns the policy of the Democratic administration in its efforts to demonetize silver.'

PRAISES JUDGE PARKER ### Congratulate your committee, and the constituency if represents, in the selection by the delegates to the National Convention of the normal feet of the presidency. He is a man of courage, yet prudent; of high ideals, yet without preciously will compete with Guiseppi Zemmello, champion of italy, in an exciting race on the Grand Basin to-morrow afternoon, etarting from the Louisiana Purchase Monument, and finishing at the Casades.

"I congratulate your committee, and the constituency if represents, in the selection by the delegates to the National Convention of the normal seasons. Of the normal seasons providency. He is a man of courage, yet prudent; of high ideals, yet without precions; of the most wholesome respect for the Constitution and the majesty of the laws under it, and a sacred regard for their limitations; of the keenes easies of justice, which would rebel against compounding a wrong to an individual or to a nation; positive in conviction, yet of few words; strong in mental and moral attributes, and yet without the second providency. The second providency is the constituency of the normal second providency. He is a man of courage, yet prudent; of high ideals, yet without precions; of the most wholesome respect for the Constitution and the majesty of the laws under it, and a sacred regard for their limitations; of the keenes easies of justice, which would rebel against compounding a wrong to an individual or to a nation; positive in conviction, yet of few words; strong in mental and moral attributes, and yet without the constituency of the normal section of the laws under it, and a sacred regard for the laws under it, and a sacred regard for the laws under it, and a sacred regard for the precion of the laws under it, and a sacred regard for the laws un congratulate your committee, and

sturdy constitution and magnificent manhood, and yet temperate in his actions and dignified in his demeanor. "It is not the orator or man of letters, but the man of reserve force, of sound judgment, of conservative method and steadiness of purpose whom the people have call d to the office of the presidency notably in the contests between Jetherson and Burr, Jackson and Clay, Lincoln and Boarne, Grant and Greeley, Cleveland and Blaine.

Blaine. "Dire predictions were made by our poitica, opponents of what would happen
at the St. Louis convention, but they misjudged the temper of the parts and the
people. While there had been differences
in preceding campions, yet at St. Louis
ties were all harmonized and a common
ground was found upon which all could
stand and do battle for Democratic prinenbes. A platform was adopted by a
unanimous vote, embracing the issues of
the day, and presenting to the people a
dec aration of principles which, in the language of the times, is sane, safe and
sound.

Declares Administration Is Kunning Nation Into Debt and Our Great Prosperity is a Myth.

The many constraints of Democracy again triamph. The guest care the surface of the few of the few

HIGH TRESTLE

S. P. Hill Falls Twenty-Five Feet
After Being Struck by a
Street Car.

Stering P. Hill, a laborer employed at the Hamilton avenue trestle, which spans the Wabash Railroad tracks, and over which the Easton avenue cars are carried, was struck by a car there yesterday afternoon and hurled twenty-five feet to the railroad tracks, sustaining a severe concussion of the brain and severe in
In appearance, Komzak is impressive. In height, close to 6 feet 4, broad in proportion, wearing a beard very foreign in cut, he looks decidedly distinguished. He declares that he is surprised beyond words to onduct.

Really, he said, through an interpretation of the said and over who would be so good. I thought; in fact, I was almost sure that I would encounter a collection of his-competent musicians who would drive me to distraction. But I have not the slightest heistancy in saying that the Exposition Orchestra would be a credit to any city or country.

FAIR SURPRISES HIM.

"And your Fair, it, too, surprises me.

HUSBAND AND WIFE **HUNT EACH OTHER**

After Failing to Meet at Union Station.

Both Seek Aid of Police in Search

caused by their failure to meet each other at Union Station, yesterday, as planned, kept the Police Department and telegraph operators busy for several hours.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

St. Charles, Mo., Aug. 17.-Miss Bess Hurd Hawkins of St. Louis and Ford

Hurd Hawkins of St. Louis and Ford Dix of San Antonio. Tex., were married here last night by the Reverend Paul Allrich at the parsonage of St. John's Evangelical Church.

Yesterday afternoon Miss Hawkins telephoned to a friend here telling him she would arrive late in the afternoon, and asking him to arrange with the County Clerk to have the license ready. The friend met the bridal party at the depot with a carriage and they were driven to the home of County Clerk Dierker, where the licenses were waiting for them. From there they called on the Reverend Mr. Allrich, who performed the ceremony, after which they departed for a bridal tour.

Resented Alleged Interference. John H. Rehan was arrested on the Pike last night by Detective McGrath as he was drawing a revolver on Frank Reed, employed at Cummins's Wild West Show. Behan claims that he brought several Indians to St. Louis to take part in the show, but that several weeks ago the Indians were taken from his charge. He claimed that Reed was responsible for the change.

The formal opening of the Jewish-Christian Mission, at No. 1432 Franklin avenue, which was postponed last Sunday, will be held at 8 o'clock this evening. Several Jewish-Christians will speak, as will also ministers interested in the cause. The Sunday school in connection with the mission will be opened next Sunday afternoon.

When you take Hostetter's Stomaci Bitters for any derangement of the Stomach. Liver or Kidneys you take the verbest remedy that science has been able to produce. For over 50 years it has been the leader in curing sickly men and wo-men of Heartburn, Bloating, Poor Ap-petite, Coated Tongue, Insomaia, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Costiveness and Ma'aria, Fever and Ague. We hope you'll try a bottle at once.

HOSTETTER'S STOWACH BITTERS.

TO BEGIN TUESDAY

Vienna Conductor Will Lead in Festival Hall and Tyrolean Alps.

PLEASED WITH ORCHESTRA.

Says He Is Well Impressed With Fair, New York City and America in Gen-

The first of a series of light music con-World's Fair, conducted by Carl Komzak. the leadership of the Exposition Orchestra, will be held next Tuesday night in Festival Hall. These concerts will con-tinue regularly on Tuesday during the emainder of the Pair.
Mr. Komzak is now fairly settled in St.

and will lead nightly concerts in

things, and the music lovers thus far have not been disappointed. He comes accompanied by his wife and two ser-

the Alps. His reputation having pre-

ceded him, causes the expectation of great

The scale upon which it is built takes my breath away. I can hardly conceive my breath away. I can hardly conceive of it. As for seeing it, I have only begun, and don't expect to get through before the gates close on the last day.

The "light music," which is to characterize the Komzak concerts, will have for its feature the compositions of the Vienna type-waitzes and dance themes which are the popular music abroad and which, it is believed, will gain a great popularity here when played by the orenestras. American popular airs, however, will also be introduced, and, it is said, that even a well chosen touch of "rag time" will be permitted one in a while.

LIKES AMERICAN MUSIC.

Mr. Kemzak maintains that there is a distinct and a good American music, com-posed of the negro melodies and of the posed of the legic arrival pro-better airs developed in light opera pro-ductions. He is familiar with much of this having played it with his Austran or-chestra, and will sprinkle it through the concert programmer. George W. Stewart secured the services

of Komzak while traveling abroad in search of World's Fair music attractions. The retainer is said to be an enormous

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The Wagner concert of to-mororw night to be rendered by the Exposition Orchestra, conducted by Alfred Ernst, may be said to mark the beginning of the climax in the music activities of the Fair. It will be followed on Tuesday by the first Komzak concert. Then, on August 28, the famous Grenadiers' Band of England, the best military band of Great Britain, will nrive for a six weeks engagement, on September 5 the Garde Republicaine Band, the organization of France, which corresponds to the Grenadiers in England and the Marine Band in the United States, will arrive for a five weeks engagement. Then

the Marine Band in the United States, will arrive for a five weeks engagement. Then on September 12 Gullmant, the French organist, will begin his series of recitals upon the monster organ.

The programme for the Tuesday concert is not yet announced. It will be arranged jointly by Mr. Stewart and Mr. Komzak. It is practically decided that the Panamericana of Victor Herbert will be one of the numbers. Other American numbers will be rendered also, and a special series of Austrian music, which Mr. Komzak has brought along. Several large cases were required to hold the new music imported by the Austrian leader.

STONE SAYS THAT FOLK **EVADES HIS QUESTIONS.**

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sas City Star, which is Mr. Folk's speclal organ in Western Missouri, had not forced me, by its misrepresentations and attacks upon me, to do so in self-defense. Does Mr. Folk think it was all right and proper for me to be put in a false position by having it said that certain things had

been said and done at a conference which were not said and done in the manner stated, and then to make that misrepr sentation the basis of a feroclous editorial attack upon me, running through a week's issue of two newspapers? Does he think that was all right, and that I should have remained silent, and borne this injustice without protest?

"And because I did not do that, but, or the contrary, contradicted the statements of the Star and related what actually did occur and as it occurred, does Mr. Folk think on that account that I have marched forth with a stilletto in my hand to make war upon him and the Democratic party. If this is the way he views such things, then he and I could never agree as to that, And, while you are thinking about this, do not forget just what it was I said, why I

said it and just what my offense was.
"I leave to-night for Nebrieska, and during my absence I hope this tempest in a teapot will subside. All I ask now is to have the truth made known. If the truth is not made known before I return I will see about it afterwards." SECRETARY COOK MAKES STATEMENT.

Secretary of State Sam B. Cook to-night made the following statement for publication:

"In view of recent publications in which issue has been taken between Senator Stone and Mr. Folk, in which my name, with other Democrats, has been mentioned, I desire to say through The Republic that the only statement I have to make, I have already made at a con ference at the Southern Hotel on Friday, August 5, 1994, at which Mr. Folk, Senator Stone, Senator Cockrell, Judge Evans, Mr. McLeod, Mr. Seibert and Mr. Vandiver were present. While the conference was confidential, and while I feel that the less notoriety these matters are given, the better for the party, any gentleman present is at liberty, so far as I am personally concerned, to make my

MEXICO LEDGER ASKS WHAT SENATOR STONE MEANS TO DO

(Signed)

this city, secretary of the Missouri Demo-cratic Press Association, in an editorial in his Mexico Evening Ledger, says in regard to the Stone-Folk controversy: "The Ledger is unable to understand just

what Senator W. J. Stone is trying to ac complish in his letter to the Kansas City Star. Senator Stone is not a candidate or a member of the Democratic State Central Committee, and just why he should make demands on the nominees or manunusual. The rank and file of the Demo cratic party is arranging to elect the ticket by an overwhelming majority. The Republicans are keeping still and saying Democrats. Democrats throughout the

Democrats. Democrats throughout the State are amazed at Senator Stone's utterances. When a United States Senator at tacks the head of his party ticket he should be explicit and state definitely whether he is trying to embarrass him, defeat him, make him run behind his ticket, or is just endeavoring to make mischief.

The writer has no desire to misrepresent Mr. Stone, or in any way to place him in a false light. It is in public print that Senator Cockrell told Mr. Stone in a conference held in St. Louis with other Democrats that he (Stone) was making an ass of himself. The boys in the trenches who have to stand the heat and burden of the day have a right to expect those who draw the salaries and wear the crowns to deport themselves in a way becoming unselfish, faithful party leaders who are interested in the success of the party, and are above personal malice or spiteful egotism. The Democrate of Missouri after what they have done for W. J. Stone have a right to be informed whether that gentleman is endeavoring to defeat the Democratic ticket or whether he has lost his mind. Such a display of arrogance and egotism with the malificious assault made on the head of the ticket will surely meet with the disapproval of Democrats generally. And they will not forget.

SENATOR HOAR'S END THOUGHT TO BE NEAR.

Physician Holds Out No Hope for Longer Than Twenty-Four Hours.

Worcester, Mass., Aug. 17.-Senator George Frisbie Hoar is thought to be dr-

hours. Rockwood Hoar, son of Senator Hoar, said to-day that the Senator's entire system seemed to be worn out

The Senator was resting quietly at 11:30 under the influence of opiates. Doctor Warren R. Gilman left the house at 10:30 o'clock.
Senator Hoar's mind was perfectly clear up to the time the opiates were administered.



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